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This bill provides that \$3,000 in cash or property is exempt from execution on a judgment if within 30 days of the date of attachment the debtor elects to exempt cash or property and provides for an appraisal of exempted property by the Sheriff at the time of the levy.

Senate Bill 796, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 31, 1983, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 1525.

Sincerely, Harry Hughes Governor

House Bill No. 1525

AN ACT concerning

Execution on a Judgment - Exemptions

FOR--the--purpose--of--altering--the--exemption-from-execution-on judgments-of-certain-cash-or-property-if--written--elections are--filed--with--the-clerk-of-court-where-the-judgments-are docketed-within-a-certain-time:

FOR the purpose of providing that a debtor may exempt from execution property or cash of a certain value under certain circumstances; providing that the sheriff shall appraise property which may be subject to execution at the time of levy; providing that the sheriff shall return the appraisal to the court and that the appraisal is subject to review by the court under certain circumstances; and providing that procedures shall be as prescribed by rules issued by the Court of Appeals.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings Section 11-504(b)(5) and (c) Annotated Code of Maryland (1980 Replacement Volume and 1982 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

11-504.

(b) The following items are exempt from execution on a judgment.